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Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Colorado State Office of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) has been notified by Jefferson County Open Space (Jefferson County) of the presence of a mature pair of bald eagles (Haliaeetus leucocephalus) attempting to nest on Jefferson County property in the vicinity of Standley Lake. Service personnel have verified the location of the nest northwest of Standley Lake within T2S, R69W, S17 NW1/4 SW1/4.

Bald eagles are federally listed and protected under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), Bald Eagle Protection Act (BEPA), and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA). The Service is coordinating with the Colorado Division of Wildlife to develop protection strategies for these birds. Please contact the Service at (303) 231-5280 or the Colorado Division of Wildlife at (303) 297-1192 if anyone within your Agency observes or becomes aware of harassment of bald eagles through human activities or becomes informed of any potential human activity that may disturb the birds.

Additionally, the Service provides CERCLA §104 technical assistance to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency-Region 8 for the Rocky Flats Plant and comments on Federal Agency actions concerning compliance with the ESA, especially ESA Section 7 Consultations, BEPA, and the MBTA affecting compliance with other Federal environmental statutes, especially §404 of the Clean Water Act. Service CERCLA §104 technical assistance activities and comments to Federal actions will reflect our responsibilities and authorities under the three Acts listed above.

Please contact John Wegrzyn at (303) 231-5280 if you have questions or require further information. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

  
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Colorado State Supervisor

ADMIN RECORD

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Reading File

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Standley Lake Water Protect. Proj.

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